



Carlsbad Police Department

PRESS RELEASE

CRIME/INCIDENT:	Suspicious Container	CASE:	10-6346
DATE:	10-07-10	TIME:	1930
LOCATION:	4706 Amberwood Court		
SUSPECT 1:	Unknown	AGE:	
SUSPECT 2:		AGE:	
SUSPECT 3:		AGE:	
VICTIM 1:	State of California	AGE:	

SUMMARY: On October 7, 2010, at approximately 1930 hours, the Carlsbad Police Department's Communications received a 911 call about a suspicious container located in front of 4706 Amberwood Court next to a power transformer. The reporting party stated the container looked like an old ammunition container with military markings on it. Inside the container was another container with tape around it and had wires coming out of it also there was a cylinder with wires coming out of it. Officers responded and determined that the container could be a bomb and for the safety of the residents, they evacuated eight residences and called the San Diego County Sheriff's Bomb/Arson to examine the container.

The San Diego County Sheriffs' Bomb/Arson investigators arrived at approximately 2055 hours. They conducted a preliminary examination of the container and requested that Tamarack Avenue closed from El Camino Real to Palisades for both west and eastbound traffic for public safety. They used their robots to open the containers and discovered they were empty.

The residents returned to their residences at approximately 0045 hours. There are no suspects and the Carlsbad Police Department and San Diego County Sheriff's Department are conducting a joint investigation.

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